*Complaints against Tahsildar Mr. V. S. Gopala Pillai.*

4. **Mr. James Fletcher** : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the period during which Mr. V. S. Gopala Pillai was working as the Tahsildar of Chirayinkil.

(*b*) whether he has taken leave suddenly and left the station ;

(*c*) if the answer to part (*b*) is in the affirmative the nature of the leave availed of and the circumstances necessitating the leave ;

(*d*) whether the District Magistrate of Trivandrum was authorised to enquire into any complaint filed against Mr. V. S. Gopala Pillai, Tahsildar, Chirayinkil ;

(*e*) if the answer to part (*d*) is in the affirmative, the nature, time and place of enquiry ;

(*f*) whether responsible representatives of the public including members of the Legislature, have interviewed the Head of the Government and the Chief Secretary, complaining against the acts of Mr. V. S. Gopala Pillai, as a Government Servant ;

(*g*) whether any action has been taken on those representations ;

(*h*) whether they have received any complaints against Mr. V. S. Gopala Pillai, before he was posted as a Tahsildar to Chirayinkil ;

(*i*) if so, the stations from which and the persons from whom complaints were received ; and

(*j*) whether any departmental action was taken against him till now ?

**Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar** : (*a*) From 22-9-1115 to 9-3-1116.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Privilege leave. As there were complaints against him he was asked to take leave pending enquiry.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) This does not arise in view of the answer to part (d).

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) The matter is under enquiry.

(*h*) Yes.

(*i*) 1. Mr. P. Sankara Pillai and others of Haripad ;
2. Mr. N. S. Krishna Pillai, Vakil and others of Neyyattinkara.

(*j*) An enquiry was conducted on the complaints and the Tahsildar was warned.

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